TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 1179 - SB 1225

March 1, 2017

SUMMARY OF BILL: Increases, from 10 to 20 working days, the time in which a health care provider must furnish a copy or summary of a patient's medical records to a patient or a patient's authorized representative when requested by the patient in writing.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption:

• Expanding the time frame in which a health care provider has to furnish a copy of medical records to a patient or representative of the patient will not significantly impact the Department of Health's polices or procedures; therefore, any fiscal impact is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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